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CREAM OF NEWS.

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Circuit Court Matters—Sudden Death—Safe Robbed—Tramp Killed—Law suit Settled—To The Work House.

Circuit Court Callings.

This week has been taken up principally in disposing of commonwealth cases. Following is a summary of the proceedings:

Frank Tandy, uttering forged check, given two years in the penitentiary on a plea of guilty.

John Lacy, robbery, dismissed. Roy Boales, same, found guilty of petit larceny and given 12 months in the work house.

Hugh Waggoner, horse stealing, verdict of not guilty.

Del Coleman, shooting at random on public highway, fined \$50 and costs.

Same, c. c. d. w., fined \$25 and ten days.

Robt. Coleman, c. c. d. w., fined \$25 and ten days in jail.

Same, shooting at random on public highway, fined \$50 and costs.

The case of John and Frank White, charged with willfully and maliciously shooting at another, was continued until the next term.

Geo. Bullard, malicious cutting, continued until next term. Bullard was released on a \$100 bond.

In the case of Robt. Coleman, col., indicted for willful murder, the jury took the matter under advisement Wednesday afternoon, but had not agreed upon a verdict when we went to press.

The Doctor Gets His Clothes.

Some weeks ago the dwelling house of Dr. Darby, of Dawson, was entered by a thief and three suits of clothes and one overcoat were carried off. Chief Fritz in searching for some stolen property belonging to Mr. Lucian Jenkins, whose house was robbed near this city, came upon Mr. Darby's outfit. The doctor was notified and identified all the garments as his property. Henry Wilson, alias Williams, a colored ex-convict was suspected of the crime in this county, and was arrested, but made his escape and is still at large.

Big Jail Delivery.

Five prisoners, Mose Merritt, Jim and John Berryman, Wesley Rhea and Arthur Bryan, made their escape from the jail at Guthrie, early Tuesday morning by prizing off the lock of the cage in which they were confined. It is believed that they immediately fled to Tennessee, and the chances are that they will not be captured. They were all colored, and were serving sentences for "crap shooting."

Two Games This Week.

The Madisonville ball team is in the city and played our local nine yesterday. Another game will come off at Athletic Park this afternoon between the clubs. The game will be called promptly at 3:30 and promises to be one of the best of the season. A good sized crowd witnessed yesterday's exhibition and today's will doubtless be much larger.

Tramp Killed By the Cars.

A tramp named Burns, hailing from Nashville, Tenn., was instantly killed by being cut in two by the cars at Sebree one day this week. Burns and two companions were beating their way on a freight train and when they reached the station they attempted to get off. Two of the men jumped clear, but Burns fell under the wheels, with the result as above stated.

Damage Suit Settled.

The thousand dollar damage suit of J. W. Griffin against Dr. Ben Letcher, superintendent of the asylum, has been compromised and will be dismissed when reached on the docket. The attorneys in the case were Messrs. Brown & Hill and C. H. Bush for the plaintiff, and Anderson & Allensworth for the defense.

The Case Was Dismissed.

Henry Clay and Jim Davis, both colored, were arrested at Kelly Tuesday, charged with having stolen clothing from the L. & N. section hands. The case was called in the County Court Wednesday, and proof being insufficient the prisoners were discharged.

Got Twenty-Five Days.

Jim Cosby, a Kelly negro, became so unruly at his home that he was brought to this city and turned over to the authorities. The charge against him of carrying a concealed weapon was sustained and he was sent to the work house where he will beat rock for 25 days.

Another Ocean Horror.

London, June 17.—A dispatch received here by Lloyds from Ushant, near Brest, France, at 3:40 p. m., says that the steamer Drummond Castle, British, of London, has gone down near Ushant with 360 persons on board of her.

FRANKS WILL GO.

District Chairman Vance Says the Nominee Must Withdraw.

Hawesville, Ky., June 17.—District Chairman Vance says E. T. Franks must withdraw from the Congressional race, and that G. W. Jolly, the Owensboro lawyer, will be given the nomination.

The K. P. A. Meeting.

The Kentucky Press Association will meet in Georgetown next week. The following is an outline of the program:

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 24.

Reception, 9 to 12 o'clock, with musical exercises.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 25.

Address of Welcome.

Response.

Business meeting, Election of Officers, &c.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Reading of Papers, &c.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Banquet.

Friday morning, the Association will leave for Cumberland Island.

The editors, after adjournment at Georgetown, will take a special train at Louisville, furnished by the L. & N., including Pullmans and diners, going via Nashville, Chattanooga, Atlanta and Macon, Ga., thence by handsome steamers a ride of twenty-five miles down the ocean to historic Cumberland Island. No Kentucky editor who wants the trip of his life can afford to miss this year's outing.

Secretary Gaines will be at the Fifth Avenue hotel, Louisville, from Tuesday noon, June 23, to Wednesday noon, June 24. Louisville will be the rendezvous for editors from Southern and Western Kentucky, the party leaving via the Louisville Southern at 3 p. m., Wednesday, June 24, for Georgetown, reaching that city about 7 p. m. Certificates issued by the Secretary will be all that is needed to be presented to the passenger department of that line, which will issue transportation upon the credit of these credentials to and from Georgetown meeting.

Death of N. Tobin.

Mr. Nicholas Tobin, the well-known merchant tailor, died at his home in this city Wednesday morning, of flux, after an illness of two weeks.

Mr. Tobin was a native of Ireland and was 57 years of age. He came to America when a boy and settled in Cincinnati, learning the tailor's trade. He married in Newport, Ky., and after living awhile in Louisville located in Elkton. He remained there a number of years and in 1882 came to Hopkinsville. He made a success of the merchant tailoring business here and for many years the firm of N. Tobin & Co. has been one of the most reliable and substantial in the city. Last winter the firm moved from the Opera Building to one of the Hotel Latham rooms. Mr. Tobin was one of the best tailors in this section of country and his firm has done a large business in all of the surrounding counties, his partner being Mr. Riley Ely.

Mr. Tobin leaves a wife and four children. His oldest daughter is also critically ill at the family residence on Walnut street.

Deceased was a member of the Catholic church and his funeral services were conducted yesterday morning at that church by Rev. Father Pike, of Russellville.

The interment took place at Hope-well Cemetery.

The Gold Reserve.

Washington, D. C., June 17.—The Treasury gold reserve at the close of business to-day stood at \$103,200,194. The day's withdrawal were \$653,800. All the gold due under the last bond issue has now been paid into the treasury. It amounted to \$111,365,612.07, of which \$100,000,000 was principal and \$11,365,612.07 premium and, \$189,375 interest. Since January 6, the date when the bids for the last bond issue were invited, there have been withdrawn from the treasury \$77,839,339 in gold.

Ended in Death.

Paducah, Ky., June 15.—Miss Julia Culp, who sustained a dislocation of the hip several weeks ago in a sensational midnight runaway with a young man, died in the city hospital this morning while under the influence of chloroform, given preliminary to an operation to set the fractured member. The young lady was quite well known here, and the case created quite a sensation at the time it occurred.

The libel suit of T. B. Johnson against the Henderson Gleaner resulted in a verdict of one cent and costs for the plaintiff. Both sides are satisfied and the case will be settled without further litigation.

Judge Beckner has a strong lead in the Tenth district for the Democratic nomination. He has 34 votes to 15 for Fitzpatrick, 11 for Lykins and 11 for Turner. He must have 37 to win. The convention met at Beattyville yesterday.

SPLIT WIDE OPEN.

The Republican Convention Divides on the Money Question.

A "SOUND MONEY" AND "GOLDSTANDARD" PLANK ADOPTED.

The Silver Men Bolt In a Body Headed by Senators Teller, Dubois, Mantle and Cannon.

THE SCARCE MONEY FACTION NOMINATES MCKINLEY AND DECLARES FOR HIGH TAXES.

St. Louis, 5 p. m.—McKinley nominated on first ballot.

St. Louis, June 18, 3 p. m.—The convention resumed business this morning by adopting the majority report from the Resolutions Committee. The platform declares for gold, reciprocity and protection. The silver men promptly withdrew upon the adoption of the gold standard platform. Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada and other delegations bolted. Nominating speeches are now being made. Reed and Morton have been presented and in nominating Morton, Depew stated that under no circumstances would the New Yorker accept second place.

Foraker is now nominating McKinley in the speech of his life.

St. Louis, June 17.—The Republican National Convention cleared the deck for action to-day. Two sessions were held, one of an hour in the morning and one of three hours in the afternoon. The permanent organization was effected and the permanent Chairman, Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, assumed the duties of presiding officer at the morning session, while the representatives of the Committee on Credentials and Rules were received and their report adopted at the afternoon session. This leaves the battle royal over the platform and the nomination of candidates. It is probable that the platform would also have been disposed of to-night had it not been that a night session would have interfered with the mammoth McKinley parade previously arranged for to night.

While the convention was proceeding with its work, a dramatic scene was being enacted in the Committee on Resolutions. The group of Western silver men, headed by Senator Teller, of Colorado, announced to their colleagues when the gold plank in the platform was agreed upon that they had reached the parting of the ways, and that nothing remained for them but to withdraw from the convention. It was thought that there would be violent recriminations and wild words of denunciation when the final announcement of the break came, but instead it was the parting of old friends in sorrow, not in anger.

The silver men felt themselves swept on by an irresistible fate, and with protestations of regret, they cast the die. Speeches were made by Senator Teller, who joined the Republican party at its inception, and who was an ardent supporter of Lincoln, and who for twenty years has represented his State in the Senate of the United States as a Republican, save two years in the Cabinet of President Arthur; Senator Dubois, the handsome, stalwart young Senator from Idaho, whose father was nominated for Secretary of State of Illinois by Abraham Lincoln; young Senator Cannon, of Utah, whose father was President of the Mormon church, and Representative Hartmann, the young, vigorous Congressman from Montana; Committeeman Lemmon, of California; Mott, of North Carolina, the son of Dr. Mott, the Secretary of the silver party, and the delegates from New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma—all of whom voted together in the committee. The scene was a most affecting one. The gold men in the committee

were filled with compassion and there was not a dry eye in the room while Senator Teller spoke. Senator Dubois, Senator Cannon and Delegate Mott broke down completely and wept like children. Senator Lodge, who replied, spoke words of tender sympathy as if the occasion were some great special bereavement. He upheld Senator Teller and his colleagues but declared that the representatives of the party could not falter on account of the money question.

In the platform, which is to be presented to-morrow, and which was sent out in all its special details by the Associated Press, when it is presented to the convention there will be no disposition to cut off the bolters. They are honored and respected. Their services in the cause of the party have been long and faithful and they will be given ample time to make their final protest before they take their departure from the party with which they have so long been allied. It is not probable that there will be any reply to the silver men, at least not an extended one. If Senator Lodge can have his way no bitterness will be engendered.

The general belief is that the convention will adjourn to-morrow. The prevailing opinion continues to be that Gov. Morton will be McKinley's running mate on the ticket, although the friends of Hobart and Evans still insist otherwise and the anti-Platt faction in New York is bitterly fighting his nomination. It is believed that Mr. Hanna is opposed to Morton and this fact furnishes the chief ground for the confidence of the anti-Morton delegates.

HERE'S YOUR "SOUND MONEY." Following is the financial plank of the platform adopted by the full committee and reported to the convention.

"The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879 and, since then every dollar has been as good as gold.

"We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are, therefore, opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper currency now in circulation must be maintained at parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the obligations of the United States, and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth."

Disaster in Japan. Yokohama, June 17.—News of a terrible disaster, involving the loss of over a thousand lives, has reached here from the Island of Yesso, which contains the Northern Provinces of Japan. This section of the islands seems to have been more or less shaken. The subterranean disturbance lasted about twenty hours, and during that period the utmost terror prevailed.

Died in His Chair. Clarksville, Tenn., June 17.—While sitting in his front door awaiting breakfast, Tom Miller, a respectable white citizen, fell over dead with heart disease this morning. The deceased was forty years old and leaves a wife and children.

Work of Safe Blowers. Clarksville, Tenn., June 16.—The dry goods and clothing store of Bourne & Allen, located in the Masonic building at Port Royal, this county, was broken into, the iron safe blown open and \$100 in money and three gold watches secured.

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Men's 3.50 Tans cut to 2.75 Men's 2.00 Tans cut to 1.50
Ladies' \$3.50 Tans cut to \$2.75
Ladies' 3.00 Tans cut to 2.25
Ladies' 2.50 Tans cut to 2.00
Ladies' 2.00 Tans cut to 1.50
Ladies' 1.50 Tans cut to 1.15
Assorted lot of Ladies Tan Oxfords for \$1.00 pair; worth \$1.50 to \$3.00 pair.
Misses Tan lace shoes for \$1.00, worth \$1.25
Misses Tan lace shoes for 1.50, worth 2.00
Misses Tan Oxfords & Slippers for \$1.00, worth \$1.50
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